Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 11 Feb 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 12 Feb 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 10 Feb 2022 at 09:05

Confidence: High for mainly dry and bright weather Friday and for becoming wetter and milder at the weekend, but lower confidence with regard to timing of arrival and clearance of rain over the weekend and Monday.

Headline for Friday 11 Feb 2022: Mainly dry and bright with some sunshine.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 11 Feb 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
20%	<05%	00%	00%	00%	10%	10%	00%

Forecast for Friday 11 Feb 2022

Weather: Rather cloudy with a few showers in the early hours, but cloud breaking up by morning. Then a dry and mostly sunny start. Some cloud bubbling up during the day to bring the odd shower late afternoon and high cloud will increase from the west through the afternoon too. Cloud increasing and lowering in evening to bring some rain to western hills, though falling as snow on the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 70% in early hours, otherwise 90%, but 40% late evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Mainly good visibility, but sometimes poor at height in early hours and again in late evening, with scattered sometimes broken cloud down to 500m, otherwise little in way of cloud below the tops.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/22 NW	10/15 NW	7/10 W	6/8 SW	10/15 SW	15/22 SW	17/24 S	23/34 S	27/40 S
300	7/17 NW	4/9 W	4/8 SW	3/6 S	7/13 SW	10/20 SW	8/19 S	12/26 S	14/31 S
Valley	7/17 W	4/9 W	4/8 W	2/5 S	7/13 SW	9/19 SW	6/17 S	10/24 S	12/28 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	0/-6	-0/-5	-1/-4	0/-3	1/-3	2/-3	1/-4	1/-6	1/-6
300	2/-1	1/-1	1/-2	2/-0	5/2	5/1	4/0	3/-1	4/-1
Valley	2/-1	1/-1	1/-1	2/0	6/3	6/3	4/2	4/0	4/0
Freezing Level*	600m	500m	500m	500m	500m	600m	700m	700m	700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A cold start with ice in places and generally chilly on the slopes with some chill effect despite quite light winds, perhaps a significant chill late evening with summit snow and increasing winds.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Wed 09 Feb 2022	6.2mm	8.6mm	10.6mm

Forecast for Saturday 12 Feb 2022

Weather: Cloud thickening overnight and rain spreading east, preceded briefly by snow on the tops. Then a dull and wet day, with heaviest and most persistent rain in west. Clearing to showers in evening and cloud becoming more broken.

Maximum wind: Southwest 25-35 gust 45, but 50 gust 65mph possible over the tops in the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10-30%, with best chance in east

Low cloud and visibility: Moderate or poor, especially at height with cloud layers down to 500m, occasionally 400m, especially in west. Becoming mostly good below breaking cloud in evening.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 C rising to plus 9 C.
At 600m: Plus 1 C in early hours, rising to plus 5 C by morning
Freezing level: Rising above the tops by morning.

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